

## GREETINGS!

Happy New Year to One and All!

Fully appreciative of its growth during the good year now closed, and justly proud of its increased clientele of patrons, the Man's Store enters the New Year with high hopes and confident expectations. It intends to keep on growing by deserving growth. Each succeeding year should be the best year for all—should be made the best year—and a helpful spirit all around will make it so.

Apart from its immediate affairs, here are some of the resolutions the Man's Store has formed anew for 1910:

### RESOLVED—

That the "Man's Store" most heartily pledges its support to aid in increasing the pay of government employees, the most conscientious, efficient, and faithful servants of the people.

That the "Man's Store" will use every resource within its power to bring about a plan to retire aged employees of the government on a suitable pension as a return for their lifetime services to the public.

That the "Man's Store" approves of increasing in every possible way commercial and industrial activities in Washington that will give employment and opportunity to the young men and women who are yearly graduating from our high schools.

That the "Man's Store" desires to commend those good old-fashioned patriots who believe in the conservation of the national resources of the country for the benefit of all the people.

That the "Man's Store" believes in a reorganization of the judiciary to lessen the cost and expedite the interests of justice, so that all men may be equal in the law, whether they are rich or poor.

That the "Man's Store" stands for a complete separation of business from politics, for purity of the ballot, and for election absolutely protected from corruption.

That the "Man's Store" pledges itself to the movement to keep down the cost of living for all wage-earners by selling the best clothing qualities obtainable at the lowest possible prices.

The "Man's Store" employees have earned the cordial commendation of this establishment for faithful work intelligently performed, and the heartiest good wishes are theirs.

"Money's Worth or Money Back."

**D. J. KAUFMAN,**  
1005-07 Pennsylvania Ave.

## For Exchange.

Good second trust notes, secured on high-grade apartment houses. Will exchange for lots, houses, and acreage property. Exchange for a guaranteed income your vacant lots, for which you pay out money. A guaranteed income for a continual outgo.

**MOORE & HILL, Inc.**

1333 G Street Northwest.

Telephones M. 872, M. 1453.

Holidays and after 6 p. m., Col. 1463.

### Resolved

That we will do our part to cheer the people of Washington during the new year. Wishing all a happy and prosperous New Year!

**Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co.**

### Resolved

Not to abuse the confidence placed in me by my customers, but to endeavor to live up to my former reputation for fair dealing, which I have conscientiously earned. Hoping you may have a Happy New Year!

**Horn, The Tailor.**

## BEATEN BY THUGS IN SOLDIER SUITS

Aged Farmer Found Unconscious at Tenth and D.

**POCKET SLASHED WITH KNIFE**  
Highwaymen Escape with Seventy Cents After Attack on Keat Davis, of Virginia—Wallet with \$500 Is Overlooked in Excitement—Police Are Without a Clue.

Keat Davis, a prominent farmer and civil war veteran, who lives on the Machodoc Creek in Virginia, is in a critical condition at the home of a niece, 229 Pennsylvania avenue, as a result of being attacked Thursday night by two highwaymen disguised as soldiers.

Davis came to Washington to dispose of oysters, and had \$500 in his possession. He was crossing Ninth street at G on his way to his niece's home, when two men sprang upon him from behind. He was borne to the ground and beaten over the head until almost unconscious and his right trousers pocket was ripped open with a knife. His cash was concealed in an inner pocket, and the men were forced to abandon the robbery before they could find it, though a small amount of change was taken from the pockets they searched.

### Followed from Station.

Davis had noticed two dark figures dodging in and out of alleys all the way from the railway station earlier in the evening, and it is his belief the robbers had been following him some time.

Although he was unable to give an explanation when found on account of his condition, he is slowly recovering and has some memory to the descriptions of the men. Because of his age, the physicians are not sure that his recovery will be complete. Word has been sent to his relatives at home, and he will be taken there. The police have no trace of the highwaymen.

### WOULD TEST FILM MEN.

District to Ask for Picture Plant as Public Safeguard.

Chief Engineer Frank J. Wagner, of the District of Columbia fire department, has suggested to the Commissioners that Congress be asked to establish a moving picture plant, under the direction of an expert of the fire department, to be used to test the ability of moving picture operators who apply for licenses to operate machines.

This recommendation is made as a safeguard to the public patronizing the moving picture shows, as such a practical test would eliminate from the moving picture shows incompetent operators, thereby reducing the danger of fire from exploding picture machines.

Approval has been given the recommendation by the Commissioners, and a bill will be drafted and sent to Congress. It will ask for \$300.

### GETS PONY AND REED CART

Hecht Prize Delights Little Grace Price.

Awarded for Her Wonderful Race with Other Pupils in Popularity Contest.

Probably the happiest little girl in Washington yesterday was ten-year-old Grace Price, of 630 E street southeast, for she was the recipient of a Shetland pony and reed body carriage.

Grace was the winner of the voting contest for the most popular public school pupil, Hecht & Co. having promised the child who got the most votes a pony and cart. The presentation ceremony took place yesterday in front of the Hecht stores, 515-517 Seventh street. The child had received several thousand more votes than her nearest competitor, polling close to 50,000.

Clapping her small hands in glee, she joyfully exclaimed: "Santa Claus has been good to me. A pony and little cart, all mine, to do with as I want. I'm going to pet him and teach him how to know and be fond of me. Just as soon as my father shows me how to drive, I'm going out all by myself. Thank you so much."

The pony, which is mouse colored, is about six years old and is thoroughly broken to children's driving. It comes from Philadelphia, and its name is "Peaches." The carriage has a black and blue striped running gear, and an elaborate reed body. A whip, lap robe, horse blanket, and halter are included in the equipment. The outfit is durable and up to date, and the total cost was in the neighborhood of \$500, according to representatives of Hecht & Co.

A large number of Grace's schoolmates and friends witnessed the presentation. The child is the daughter of Walter Price, who is in the employ of the Merchants' Transfer and Storage Company. She is a pupil of Jefferson School.

### Appointed on Rival Board.

Secretary of War Dickinson has appointed the following militia officers to membership on the national board for the promotion of rifle practice:

Brig. Gen. Elliott C. Dill, adjutant general of Maine, vice Brig. Gen. William H. Thrift, whose term has expired by limitation.

Col. Roy Hoffman, First Infantry, Oklahoma National Guard, vice Col. Walter E. Coney, whose term of service has expired.

### The Chop House Rathskeller.

The nearest to Washington to the New York Broadway idea of a Bohemian place, where ladies and gentlemen can find every enjoyment in good things to eat and drink, is to be found at the newly fitted Chop House and Subway Restaurant located at Fourteenth and F streets northwest, and now opened to the public for general patronage. Good music is made a special feature from 7:30 to 12 o'clock, and special attention is given to the serving of after-theater parties.

### Prayer Services to Be Held.

The Woman's Interdenominational Missionary Union of the District yesterday announced the prayer schedule, which will begin January 10 and continue until May 30. Mrs. John Newton Culberson will preside at the opening service.

### PLACES OF INTEREST.

Library of Congress—Open 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. on secular days; from 2 p. m. to 10 p. m. on Sundays and on certain holidays.  
Public Library—Open 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.; holidays, 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.; Sundays, 2 to 9 p. m.  
White House—Open 10 a. m. to 2 p. m.  
United States Capitol—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.  
State, War, and Navy Departments—Open 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. (The original Declaration of Independence is in the library at the State Department.)  
United States Treasury—Open 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.  
United States Patent Office—Open 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.  
United States Pension Bureau—Open 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
United States Post Office—Open 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.  
Washington City Post Office—Open all hours. (The Dead Letter Office is in the city post office.)  
National Botanic Gardens—Open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
Fish Commission—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.  
Army Medical Museum—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.  
National Museum—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. (including holidays).  
Agricultural Department—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.  
Bureau of Engraving and Printing—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.  
Washington Monument (555½ feet in height)—Open 8:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. (Elevator runs from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.)  
Smithsonian Institution—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. (including holidays).  
Government Printing Office—Open 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Navy Yard—Open 9 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.  
Southwest Cottage, 36th st. and Prospect ave.  
Key Mansion—House of Francis Pickens, author of "The Star Spangled Banner," 3518 M street northwest. Open daily, except Sunday, 9 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. Admission free.

**IN THE SUBURBS.**  
Zoological Park—Open all day.  
Rock Creek Bridge and Park.  
Cherry Chase and Kensington.  
Naval Observatory—Open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
Mount Vernon—The home and tomb of Washington—Open 11 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
United States Soldiers' Home—Open 9 a. m. to sunset.  
United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.  
Arlington National Cemetery.  
Fort Myer Military Post.

## FRACTURES HIS SKULL

Policeman Eugene Smith in Serious Condition.

### SNOW ON SHOES THE CAUSE

Slips While Descending Steps at the United States Savings Bank, and His Head Strikes Stone Flooring in Bottom of Basement—In Service as Officer for Twenty Years.

Policeman Eugene C. Smith, of the Eighth precinct, fell down the basement steps of the United States Savings Bank building, at Fourteenth and U streets, about 7:30 o'clock last night, and his skull was fractured. Officials at the Emergency Hospital, where he was taken, said at a late hour last night that he had not regained consciousness.

The fall was caused by ice on Smith's shoes. He was stationed as crossing policeman at Fourteenth and U streets, and while walking on the frozen pavement his shoes accumulated ice, making them slippery. As he entered the side door and started down the flight of stairs in the bank building, he slipped. Being a heavy man, he fell with much force upon the stone floor at the foot of the stairs.

Smith is about fifty years old and has been employed on the Washington police force for about twenty years, during which time he has made a good record, and won praise for faithful service. He first served under the First precinct, but about two years ago was transferred to the Eighth precinct. He is unmarried, and boards at 224 Pennsylvania avenue northwest.

His only brother, Edward Smith, who lives at 221 Sixth street southeast, was notified of the accident.

George Slaybaugh, cashier of the United States Savings Bank, expressed regret at the accident. Smith, he declared, has made his services very valuable to the bank, and the officials are very fond of him.

### PEARY'S SHIP NOT SUITED.

Revenue-cutter Service Unable to Use the Roosevelt.

One of the promoters of the expedition of Commander Robert E. Peary in the quest for the north pole has suggested to the Treasury Department that the Roosevelt, in which Commander Peary made his trip, might be taken over by the government for the use of the Revenue-cutter Service.

He suggested that the Roosevelt might be specially adapted to use in Bering Sea. In reply a department has informed him that the Roosevelt is not adapted to the requirements of the Revenue-cutter Service. The use of the boat would be neither economical nor practical because of its peculiar type of construction.

**TTCO Taxicab Service Means** punctuality, economy, and speed. Special rates for social functions. Tel. N. 1312.

### The Seaboard Florida Service.

Commencing January 3, 1910, the Seaboard Air Line announces the first trip of the Seaboard Florida Limited between New York, Washington, and Florida.

This train runs on the quickest schedule ever put in effect between the East and Florida. It is composed entirely of Pullmans, lighted throughout by electricity, and carries through compartment and standard sleepers to St. Augustine, Palm Beach, and Miami, where connection is made for Nassau and to Knights Key, where connection is made for Havana.

In addition, it carries an observation car and diner, and a club car, the latter being a feature no other train between New York and Florida has in its equipment.

The representative in Washington, G. Z. Phillips, says that the travel this year at the present time is heavier than it has ever been before at the same time of the year, and he looks for this season to be the most brilliant season the great resorts of Florida have ever enjoyed.

### LOCAL MENTION.

**EXCURSIONS TO-DAY.**  
Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company's steamer from 50th of Seventh street for Old Point Comfort and Norfolk daily at 6:45 p. m.  
Steamer Charles Macalister for Mount Vernon, Leaves Seventh street wharf at 10 a. m. and 1:30 p. m.  
Cars from Fifteenth street and New York avenue every quarter hour for Zoo Park, Cherry Chase, and Kensington.

**On the Buffet Keep a Bottle** of Donnelly's "Private Stock" Whisky. Old, mellow, delicious. 75c qt. 14th & I.

**The Sooner You Begin Ordering** Jno. G. Meinberg's bread for the table, the better it'll be for your family.

**25c—Try Our Famous Steaks—25c** Phila. Oyster & Chop House, 1115 11th nw.

**Caverly's Plumbing, 1331 G nw.**

**Spring Stock.** Oil cookers, gas ranges, water heaters. 615 12th st.—C. A. Muddiman & Co.—1294 G.

**Largest Morning Circulation.**

## —“And the Last State Shall Be Worse Than the First.”

We have been advocating Pasteurized Milk for a long time, and we still advocate it, but we want to issue a word of warning: Do not be deceived by the word "pasteurized," and do not think that because milk has been pasteurized it is wholesome and free from disease germs.

The process of pasteurizing destroys a certain number of germs. The "Perfect" Pasteurizing process destroys all pathogenic, or disease, germs. But let pasteurized milk come in contact with any germs, and they will increase with far greater rapidity than in raw milk.

Thus to put pasteurized milk in bottles or cans that have not been sterilized is to invite a worse condition of affairs than by supplying raw milk handled in the most careless manner—and ours is the ONLY dairy in Washington that both pasteurizes milk and sterilizes all bottles.

Deliberate misstatements in advertisements don't alter the actual circumstances, and as so many deaths and so much disease are caused by bad milk, we warn you not to believe all you read, but to find out for yourself. We invite you to inspect our dairy and convince yourself that whatever we tell you is facts.

Our bacteriological tests show an appalling number of bacteria in milk that is being supplied by some dairies in this city who claim to be selling pasteurized milk and invite your patronage on the assumption that they can supply you with safe and clean milk.

So we repeat: Don't be deceived by the word Pasteurized, because it takes more than simply putting milk through a pasteurizer to insure its cleanliness and safety.

## Chestnut Farms Sanitary Dairy,

Geo. M. Oyster, Jr.

1116 Conn. Ave.

'Phone N. 2646.

## "GROW UP WITH THE DISTRICT NATIONAL BANK."

TEMPORARY OFFICE, 1415 G STREET.

Washington, D. C., January 1, 1910.

To Friends, Patrons, and the Public:

The officers and directors of the District National Bank extend to one and all a New Year's greeting.

To our patrons we desire to express our grateful appreciation for the substantial assistance rendered by them in placing our institution upon its present satisfactory basis in so short a time. We also hope that the service rendered by us in the past will be a sufficient guarantee for renewed efforts by you in our behalf for the year 1910.

Our ambition is to be known throughout the District as the business man's bank—the friend of the young, energetic, progressive element.

We recognize that the substantial growth of a bank depends not so much upon large deposits as it does upon the grit and standing of the men who make deposits.

The small deposits of to-day from the energetic young man—WITH THE PROPER ASSISTANCE OF A PROGRESSIVE BANK—is the foundation from which the resourceful and influential citizen springs.

We are alive to such requirements and invite your account, whether large or small.

## DISTRICT NATIONAL BANK.

J. CASTLE RIDGWAY,  
Cashier.

ROBT. N. HARPER,  
President.

### Resolved

That we will take advantage of every opportunity to please our customers and to merit their continued good will during the coming year. With best wishes to you all for a Happy New Year!

**House & Herrmann.**

### Resolved

That we shall never do anything to abuse the confidence reposed in us by our customers, but will fulfill all that we promise, and "make good" every time. We wish you a very Happy New Year!

**The Family Shoe Store,**  
310-312 7th St.  
Closed All Day.

### Resolved

During 1910 to use only the Pure

**Elk Grove Butter**

on the table. The Butter that's supreme in merit. And that is delicious and satisfying.

**Golden & Co.**  
Wholesalers Only.

922-28 La. Ave.